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In re Application of :  
Tony Baker :  
Application Serial No. 09/932,122 : PETITION DESICION  
Filed: August 16, 2001 :  
Attorney Docket No.: 24218-001CIP2 :

This is in response to applicants' petition filed October 26, 2002, requesting to make special (MPEP 708.02XII).

Applicant's statement has been reviewed. MPEP708.02 XII requirements are met. Accordingly, the petition is Granted.

The application will be advanced out of turn for examination and will continue to be treated as special throughout the entire prosecution in the Office.

Should there be any questions with respect to this decision, please contact Cecilia Tsang, by mail addressed to: Director, Technology Center 1600, Washington, D.C. 20231, or by telephone at (703) 308-0254 or by facsimile transmission at (703) 305-7230.

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